

Syo KUROKAWA\*: **Anaptychia (lichens) and their allies of Japan (5)\*\***

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12. **Anaptychia japonica** (Sato) Kurokawa Stat. nov.

*Anaptychia dendritica* var. *japonica* Sato in Journ. Jap. Bot. **12**: 427 (1936); Kurokawa in Journ. Jap. Bot. **30**: 255 (1955).

var. **japonica**.

Thallus foliaceus, cinerascens vel glaucescens et ad centrum saepe obscure-cinerascens, usque 5–15 cm latus, substrato laxe adantus, laciniatus; laciniae crebre dichotome vel interdum subdigitatim divisae, sublineares, superne planae vel leviter convexae saepe subimbricatae, 0.7–2 mm latae et 150–250  $\mu$  crassae, soraliis subterminalibus saepe praeditae, sorediis farinosis; subtus ecorticatae stippeaeque, albae et ad centrum saepe caesio-fuscae, in marginibus rhizinis nigris, simplicibus et demum squarroso-ramosis, 1–3 mm longis ornatae.

In sectionibus transversis laciniarum cortex superior aequaliter vel subaequaliter incrassatus, 30–90  $\mu$  crassus, parte exteriori obscure cinerea ca 20  $\mu$  crassa, stratum gonidiale 20–40  $\mu$  crassum, sub stratum corticale situm, continuum, gonidiis 6–10  $\mu$  in diam., stratum medullare 70–100  $\mu$  crassum.

Apothecia 1–5 (raro 8) mm lata, superficialia, subsessilia, in marginibus lacinulis dense praedita, disco concavo, fusciscenti leviter albo-pruinosoque, receptaculo thallo concolore. Hymenium hyalinum, ca 150  $\mu$  altum, J+coerulescens; epithecium brunnescens; excipulum proprium una cum hypothecio hyalinum, ca 30  $\mu$  altum, J+coerulescens; paraphyses filiformes, in apicibus parum incrassatae; asci oblongo-clavati, magnitudine 120–150  $\times$  29–33  $\mu$ , 8-spori; spores brunnescentes, ellipsoideae, medio vulgo levissime constrictae, magnitudine 30–46  $\times$  15–20  $\mu$ , 1-septatae 2-loculares, oculis ovatis rhomboidalibusve, demum mox vesiculis parvis terminatis.

Reaction: Th. K+yellow; med. K+yellow, PD $\pm$ pale yellow.

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Chem. ingr. : atranorine, zeorin.

Hab. : among mosses on rocks or on bark of trees.

Distr. : Japan (Honsyu, Shikoku, Kyusyu) and Formosa.

Jap. name : Kuro-asi-gezigezigoke.

Specim. exam. : JAPAN. Honsyu. Prov. Musasi : Titibu, Mt. Mitumine, Kurokawa 510084-b (Kurok); Hikawa, M. Sato (fertile !) (TI). Prov. Sinano : Yatugatake Mts., Yanagigawa-Kitazawa, M. Togashi & Kurokawa (Asah); Minami-Saku-gun, Mt. Mikuni, Kurokawa 58560 (Kurok). Prov. Suruga : Mt. Fuji, Subasiri-guti, Asahina (Asah). Prov. Kii : Mt. Oodaigahara, M. Tsujibe (TI). Sikoku. Prov. Tosa : Nokawa, F. Fujikawa (Asah). Kyushu. Prov. Higo : Mt. Itibusu, F. Fujikawa (Asah). Isl. Yakusima : Kosugi-dani, R. Furuto (Sato 1880) (Sato). FORMOSA. Mt. Arisan Mingetsu, M. Sato (Taiwan-no. 10) fertile !, Jan. 24, 1936—holotype of *A. dendritica* var. *japonica* (TI).

Externally this species resembles *A. heterochroa* Vain., a widespread lichen of tropical and temperate zones. Both plants have similar laciniae and soralia, but the apothecia of *A. heterochroa* have soredia at their margins. In *A. japonica*, above all, the undersurface of the thallus is white at its apical part, while that of *A. heterochroa* is yellow containing indetermined yellow substance.

var. **reagens** Kurokawa var. nov.

Statura thalli ut in var. *japonica*, sed differt ab ea acidum norsticticum et interdum acidum salazinicum continente. Apothecia non visa. Ceterum ut in var. *japonica*.

Reaction : thallus K+yellow; med. K+yellow afterwards reddish yellow, PD+yellow.

Chem. ingr. : atranorine, zeorin, norstictic acid and sometimes salazinic acid.

Distr. : Japan (Honsyu, Sikoku).

Specim. exam. : JAPAN. Honsyu. Prov. Simotuke : Nikko, H. Suzuki 336 (Kurok). Prov. Kozuke : Mt. Akagi, Kurokawa 58585 (Kurok). Prov. Musasi : Titibu, Mitagawa-mura, Kurokawa 550514 (Kurok); Titibu, Mt. Mitumine, Kurokawa 56145 (Kurok); Nisi-Tama-gun, Ookuno-mura, Asahina (Asah). Prov. Sagami : Hakone, Mt. Kintoki, Kurokawa 58064, April 26, 1958 holotype (Kurok) and isotype (Asah, M, TNS, US). Prov. Sinano : Mt. Kobusi, Kurokawa 59211 (Kurok; Minami-Saku-gun, Azusayama, Kurokawa 59246 (Kurok).

13. **Anaptychia ophioglossa** (Tayl.) Kurokawa comb. nov.

? *Farmelia leucomela* var. *angustifolia* Mey. et Flot. in Nov. Act. Acad.

Leop. Carol. **19**. (Suppl.): 221 et tab. 3, fig. 6 (1843).

? *Parmelia leucomela* var. *angustifolia* f. *multifida* Mey. et Flot. in Nov. Act. Acad. Leop. Carol. **19** (Suppl.): 221 et tab. 3, fig. 7 (1843)—*Anaptychia leucomelaena* var. *multifida* Vain., Etud. Lich. Brés. **1**: 129 (1890) nom. tantum, excl. quoad specim. cit.

*Parmelia ophioglossa* Tayl. in Hook. London Journ. Bot. **6**: 172 (1847)—*Anaptychia leucomelaena* var. *ophioglossa* Zahlbr., Cat. Lich. **7**: 733 (1931).

'*Anaptychia leucomelaena* var. *latifolia*' sensu Müll. Arg. in Engler, Bot. Jahrb. **20**: 248 (1894) pr. maj. p.

*Anaptychia hypocrocodes* Vain. in Dansk Bot. Ark. **4**: 11 (1926).

#### f. **ophioglossa**

Thallus foliaceus, cinerascens vel albido-glaucescens, substrato laxo adnatus, laciniatus; lacinae elongatae linearesque, apicibus versus subascendens, 0.5–3 (raro 4) mm latae, basin versus interdum sensim angustatae, dichotome divisae, superne planae et laevigatae, subtus decorticatae, subplanae vel saepe canaliculatae, albidae sed partim vel saltem in apicibus sordide ferrugineae et albopruinosae, interdum indistincte sorediosae, in marginibus fibrillis atris, 5–9 mm longis, simplicibus vel interdum increbre ramosis ornatae.

In sectionibus transversis lacinarum cortex superior irregulariter vel subregulariter incrassatus, internus fere dentato-flexuosus, 30–150  $\mu$  crassus, parte exteriore obscure cinerea 15–20  $\mu$  crassa, stratum gonidiale interdum fere usque ad superficiem attingens, discontinuum gonidiis 6–9  $\mu$  in diam., stratum medullare tenue et partim deficiens.

Apothecia rarissima, 1–5 mm lata, prope apices lacinarum enata, demum apicibus lacinarum recurvis, in marginibus lacinulata, lacinulis in marginibus fibrillis atris interdum instructis, intus decorticatis, partim albo-ferrugineis, extra corticatis, thallo concoloribus, disco fusco albo-pruinosisque. Hymenium hyalinum, 150–200  $\mu$  altum, J+coerulescens, epithecium leviter fuscum, excipulum proprium una cum hypothecio levissime fuscescens, ca 30  $\mu$  altum, J+coerulescens, asci oblongo clavati magnitudine 130–150  $\times$  30–35  $\mu$ , 8-spori; spora brunnescentes, ellipsoideae medio levissime constrictae, magnitudine 31–36  $\times$  16–20  $\mu$ , 1-septatae, 2-loculares, loculis ovatis rhomboidalibusve, demum mox vesiculis parvis terminatis.

Reaction: thallus K+yellow; med. K+yellow afterwards reddish yellow, PD +deep yellow.

Chem. ingr.: atranorine, zeorin, salazinic acid and indetermined brown

substance.

Hab.: on bark of trees or on rocks.

Distr.: tropical and temperate zones.

*Anaptychia ophioglossa* is externally very similar to *A. leucomeraena* (see below), but it is characterized by producing salazinic acid along with atranorine, and zeorin. The undersurface of lacinia is white but partly or at least in its apical part whitish or sordid brown containing indetermined brown pigment, which is insoluble in acetone and K—. Most specimens recorded by many authors as *Phycia* (*Forrera* or *Farmelia*) *leucomela* or *A. leucomelaena* in tropical and temperate zones are identical with this species. Up to date I have examined about 100 specimens from all over the world, but most of them are sterile. In Asia they rarely bear apothecia, and fertile specimens were collected in Formosa, Java and Philippines.

In the type specimen of *Farmelia ophioglossa* the laciniae are distinctly tapering towards the base, but this character has no systematic importance. As Taylor mentioned in his original description, the laciniae are distinctly red especially in their apices. This color may not be natural one, but is due to the decomposition of salazinic acid caused by the action of alkaline moisture. The same coloration is observed by Asahina<sup>1)</sup> in *Parmelia conspersa*, *P. laevior*, *P. saxatilis* and *Usnea rubescens*.

The types of *Farmelia leucomela* var. *angustifolia* and f. *multifida* are probably lost at Berlin in World War II. Judging from the illustrations of the variety and the form by Meyen et Flotow, they are identical with this species.

The lectotype of *A. hypocrocodes* (Liebman, Pl. Mex., no. 6468 pr. p. was chosen), which is preserved in TUR, has typical form of this species.

Representative specim. exam.: JAPAN. Honsyu. Prov. Kii: Mt. Koya, 800m, Kurokawa 56070 (Kurok). FORMOSA. Taityu: Keitau, Asahina (fertile!) (Asah). PHILIPPINES. Luzon. Prov. Benguet: M. Ramos (Bureau of Sci., no. 5882, fertile!) (US); R.C. McGregor (Bureau of Sci., no. 8549) (US). JAVA: Ogata (fertile!) (Asash). HAWAII. Isl. Kauai: A.A. Heller 2645 (US). Isl. Hawaii: O. Degener & Y. Murashige 19831 (BISH). NORTH AMERICA. Massachusetts: New Bedford, H. Willey (US). Virginia: Madison Co., Hale 18908 (US); Sail-Pond Mt., C.L. Porlard & W.R. Maxon 169 (US). W. Virginia: Summers Co., 11682. N. Carolina: Linville, C.E. Cummings & A.B. Seymor, Dec. N. Amer. Lich., no. 11

1) Y. Asahina, Journ. Jap. Bot. 28: 228 (1953).

(US). Georgia: Union Co., Hale 7354 (US). Texas: Emory Peak, R.A. Darrow 4553 (US). California: Monterrey, Capt. Beechey, without date—holotype of *Parmelia ophioglossa* (FH); Coast Range Mts., M.A. Howe 75 (US). MEXICO. Chinantla, Liebman, Pl. Mex. 6468 pr. p., May 1841.—lectotype of *A. hypocrocodes* (TUR: Herb. Vain., no. 7923); Pl. Mex., no. 7465—paratype of *A. hypocrocodes* (TUR: Herb., Vain., no. 7924). JAMAICA. Vicinity of Hollymount, W.R. Maxon 2309 (US). ECUADOR. Vam Vulkane Fichincha (M). VENEZUELA. Siela de Baracas, A. Jahn 266 (US); Ostlich von Los Venados, P.C. Vogl O.S.B. 364 (M). BRASIL. Rio de Janeiro, A. Glaziou (M, US). MADEIRA. J. Bornmüller, Pl. exs. Maderenses, no. 128 (Asah). SWITZERLAND. Prope Aatbal, C. Hegetschweiler 308 (US); Zürich, C. Hegetschweiler (Asah). FRANCE. Forêt de Coatloeh, des Abbeyes (RENN). BELGIAN CONGO. Mt. Ntnagongo, D.H. Linder 2151, 2151-a (US). UGANDA. Mulange, R.A. Dummer 940 (US). TANGANYIKA. Mt. Kilimanjaro, Stuhlmann 2340-a (G).

f. **albociliata** (Nyl.) Kurokawa comb. nov.

*Physcia leucomela* f. *albociliata* Nyl. in Ann. Sci. Nat. ser. 4, **19**: 309 (1863)  
—*Anaptychia leucomelaena* f. *albociliata* Hue in Nouv. Arch. Mus. ser. 4, **1**: 107 (1899).

Laciniae in marginibus fibrillis (ciliis) thallo concoloribus, simplicibus vel interdum increbre ramosis ornatae. Apothecia non visa. Ceterum ut in f. *ophioglossa*.

This form is distinguished from f. *ophioglossa* by color of cilia. In some specimens belonging to this form it is difficult to demonstrate salazinic acid by Asahina's microchemical method. The present form does not occur in Japan.

Representative specim. exam.: INDIA. Himalaya, Hook. fil. & Thoms. 1775 (Asah, M). AUSTRALIA. Without date and collector (s. n. *Physcia leucomela* v. *subcomosa*, probably det. by Müll. Arg.) (M). N. AMERICA. Florida: South of Fort Myers, S.B. Lummis (US). MEXICO. Orizaba, J.G. Smith 39 (US); Veracruz, J.A. Purpus (Asah, M, US). COLUMBIA. Lindig 2508—holotype of *Physcia leucomera* f. *albociliata* (H: Herb. Nyl., no. 2227).

14. **Anaptychia leucomelaena** (L.) Vain., Etud. Lich. Brés. **1**: 128 (1890); Lyngbe in Videnskapsselsk. Skrifter., mat. naturv. Kl., **16**: 17 (1924) pr. p.

*Lichen leucomelos* L., Sp. Pl. ed. 2, **2**: 1613 (1763).

*Anaptychia leucomelaena* var. *vulgaris* Vain., Etud., Lich. Brés. **1**: 128 (1890).

Although the present species does not occur in Japan as well as Eastern Asia,

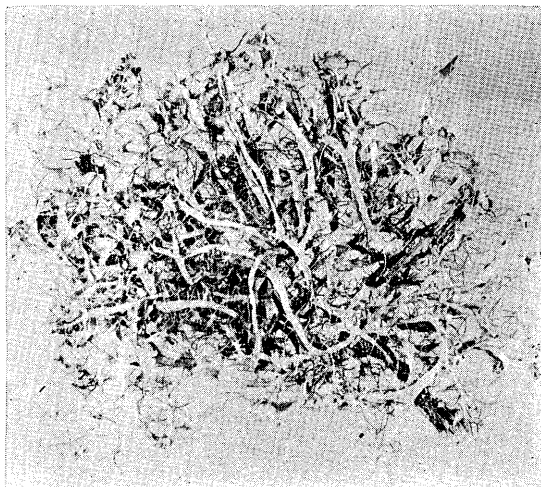


Fig. 13. Lectotype of *A. leucomelaena* var. *vulgaris* Vain.  
(Lich. Bras. Exc., no. 289) preserved in TUR(×0.9).

resembles *A. ophioglossa* and *A. leucomelaena* var. *vulgaris* Vain. In 1924, when Vainio transferred the species to the genus *Anaptychia*, he adopted the epithet "*leucomelaena*" as a grammatically acceptable one. At same time he described *A. leucomelaena* var. *vulgaris* as typical plant of this species, probably after examining the Linné's type specimen. Vainio's plant is endemic to South and Central America, and it generally bears apothecia. The undersurface of lacinia is white and partly reddish or sordid violet here and there by deposition of indetermined pigment, which is soluble in acetone and K+violet. Atranorine and zeorin are demonstrated by Asahina's microchemical method in all specimens. Even though it is difficult to confirm the deposition of the pigment in the photograph, it seems to be reasonable to consider the small fertile type specimen rather as *A. leucomelaena* var. *vulgaris* than *A. ophioglossa*.

Specim. exam.: MEXICO. Vallé, without date and collector, pr. min. p.(PC).  
BRASIL. Minas Geraes, Lafayette, Vainio, Lich. Bras. Exs., no. 289 lectotype (TUR: Herb. Vain., no. 7855); Vainio, Lich. Bras. Exs., nos. 227, 255, 270, 373, 375 and 959 paratypes (TUR: Herb. Vain., nos. 7858, 7853, 7856, 7857, 7859 and 7864 respectively); Caldas, S. Henschen (US); Rio de Janeiro, A. Glaziou 1808 (M).

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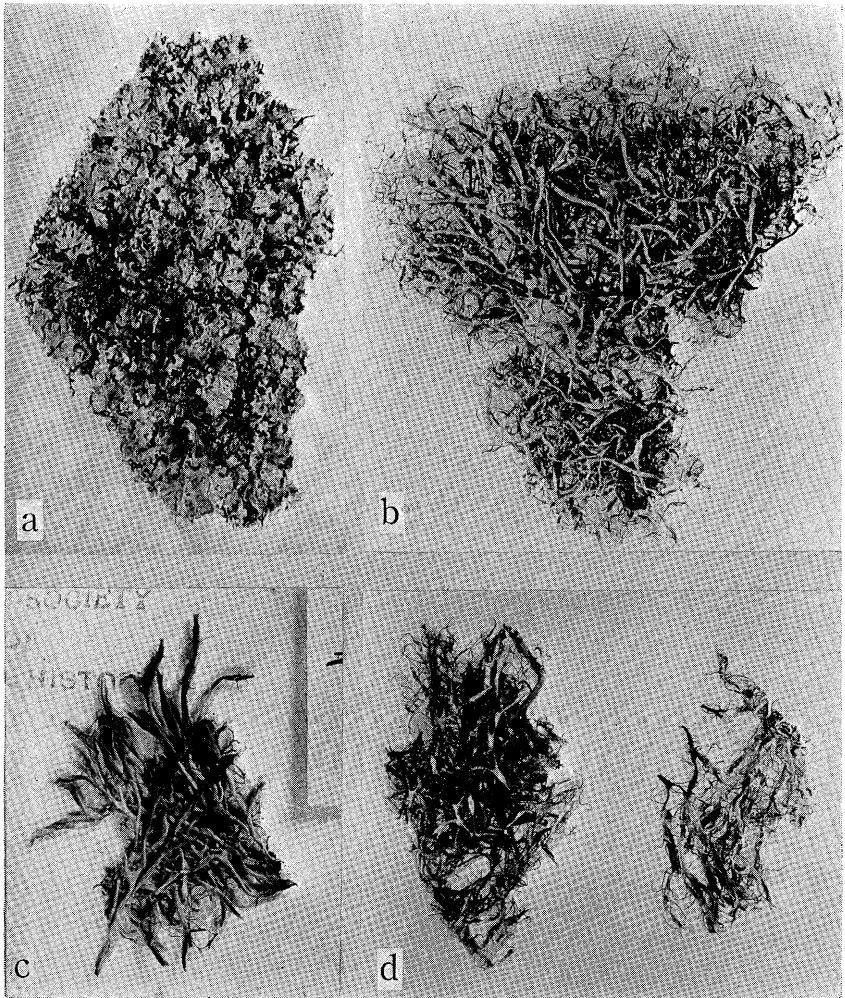


Plate 2. a: Holotype of *A. japonica* var. *reagens* ( $\times 6/10$ ), b: Fertile specimen of *A. ophioglossa* collected by M. Ogata in Java ( $\times 7/10$ ), c. Holotype of *Parmelia ophioglossa* ( $\times 1$ ) d: Lectotype of *A. hypocrocodes* ( $7/10$ ).

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